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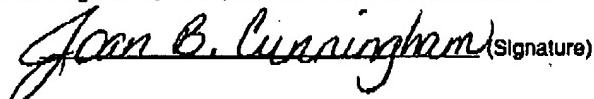
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**GROUP 1600**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 23, 2003, for two months, from July 23, 2003 to September 23, 2003. Applicants authorize payment of the accompanying fee of \$410.00 from Deposit Account 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

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